isted. The Japanese have already taken he capital, Tarpelfu, and order there will oon be restored. Ex-Governor Tang was naugurated on the 25th of May, and he and is Cabinet have already left the island. Minister Denby says it is questionable whether the people are at all concerned at the change of the government of the island, as the movement for independence was ornized by the officials. "There were fifty housand Chinese troops in Formosa," says Minister Denby. "They are all armed, but will not fight. Many of these braves are now in Amoy fighting foreigners. The forts at Kealing were, as is usually the case with Chinese forts, indefensible in the rear, though they were very strong on the sea side, and were provided with Armstrong, Krupp and machine guns." The Formosan declaration recites that the Japanese have nted China by annexing Formosa; that people are resolved to die before they will serve the enemy, and have determined, n council, to convert Formosa into a repubican state. It is stated that frequent conterences have been held with foreign powers, who hold that the people of Formosa must establish their independence before the powers will assist them.

IN HONOR OF JUAREZ. Great Liberal Party Demonstration

in Mexico. CITY OF MEXICO, July 18.-The great Liberal party demonstration in commemoration of the anniversary of the death of Juarez occurred to-day. President Diaz, members of his Cabinet, statesmen belonging to the Liberal party, prominent journalists, Freemasons, students in the leading colleges here and prominent citizens took part. The streets near the cemetery vere lined with troops. Bands played lirges and there was an immense concourse of people to do honor to the great hero of liberalism. The magnificent marble tomb of Juarez was literally covered with flowers and one enormous wreath measuring fifteen feet in diameter was placed on the tomb. Poems and diseremonies at the tomb. President Diaz

oked in excellent form and appeared to A committee of the Liberal party specialy devoted to seeing that the laws against the Catholic clergy are more vigorously enforced was formed to-day for the avowed purpose of carrying out the ideas which Juarez embodied in the celebrated reform laws regulating ecclesiastical ob-servances, the conduct of the clergy in An interesting incident was the visit yes-

terday to the cemetery San Fernando of old imperialist, General Marques, who said he had come to look on the tombs of Generals Miramon and Mexia, his old companions in arms, who were shot with Emperor Maximillan at Queretoro. A number of prisoners sentenced to long terms are soon to be transferred to the rison Fortress San Juan de Ulioa in the

fear the change on account of the vel ow fever at Vera Cruz, and because they fear incarceration in the dungeons of the ortress, which, however, have been much proved during recent years. Bolivia Modifies Her Demands. (Copyright, 1895, by the Associated Press.) LIMA, Peru, July 18.-It now appears probable that the good offices of the Papal

nuncio in the dispute between Peru and Bolivia have proved successful in averting hostilities. Bolivia has consented to modi-fy her demands as far as they include a salute to her flag by Peru, which demand mand for damages for outrages committed on the frontier by the Cacerist forces dur-ing the recent civil war. It is believed that basis of peaceful adjustment is thus ar-

Storm in the Belgian Deputies. BRUSSELS, July 18.-There was an unusual scene in the Chamber of Deputies today. During the discussion of the new ducation bill M. Buriet, the Premier, said pitied parents who allowed their chiliren to "wallow in the slough of atheism." This remark brought forth a torrent of invective from the Socialists against the dinisters, and insulting expressions passed between them and the bench. In fact per-sonal violence was only averted by the hurried adjournment of the session.

Revolution in Macedonia Sprending. LONDON, July 18 .- A dispatch from Sofia to the Times says that the newspapers to-night have alarming news from facedonia. It is asserted that the revolution is spreading and that two towns and three villages have been burned by insurgent bands, who are successfully operating in the districts of Strumitzza, Maleshevo and Drama. It is stated that the Turks have sent a considerable force of Kurdish cavalry into the first named dis-

Preparing to Capture Quito. SAN FRANCISCO, July 18 .- Private advices just received in this city from Ecuador state that General Alfaro, the insurgent chieftain whose headquarters are at Guayaquil, is preparing to advance with ten thousand men on Quito, the capital of the republic, which is the last stronghold of the conservative government.

Apologised to Croker and Simms. LONDON, July 18 .- The newspaper which first published the allegation that Willie ms, Richard Croker's colored jockey, had driven a horse to death in a race against time from Newmarket to Cambridge and back has apologized to Messrs. Croker and Simms.

Knighted by the Queen. LONDON, July 18 .- Henry Irving, Walter Besant and sixteen others went to Windson lastle to-day and were knighted by the

RELIGION AND EDUCATION.

Opening of the Panamerican Congress-President Smith's Address.

TORONTO, Ont., July 18 .- About two Congress of Religion and Education have arrived here and thousands more are on assembled in the Horticultural Pavilion where addresses of welcome were delivered by Mayor Kennedy, W. B. McMurrich, Rev. Thomas Sims, D. D., president of the Ministerial Association of Toronto, and William Muloch, M. P., vice chancellor of the University of Toronto. Rev. Samuel G. Smith, D. D., of St. Paul, president of the ongress, and a few prominent delegates

To-night Hon. S. B. Bonner, ex-president the World's Fair Religious and Educa-onal Congress, gave an address on "The ew Movement for the Peace and Unity of

president, Rev. Samuel G. Smith, t. Paul, gave his inaugural address. He id, in part: "No limitations have been laid upon the eminent men and women who are to address you, either as to the matter or manner of their discussions. Even with most faithful loyalty to that profound which the occasion requires, it cannot fall that much will be said alien to the thought and even the faith of many who listen. No speaker upon the platform is responsible for anyone except himself. This is also entirely in harmony with the method ed by no spiritual ledgerdemain. In these days many are crying, lo here, and lo there, may be found the heavenly om of peace. Go ye not after them It is the business of each individual to seek honestly and adequately to express his individual life. There is nothing else essible to the human soul but to be faithul to its personal vision of the truth. there is nothing else for the human hand ut to seek earnestly to do the nearest luty. There is no choice of the loving heart but to worship before such altars as bring the widest and richest benisons of inspiration and of grace. To neither state craft nor church craft has been committed the organization of a lasting peace. As its chievements will be mightier than human magination, so its forces are deeper and olier than the human will. They flow forth from the fountains in the heart of God. But because God lives and because God is one; because man lives and is the child of God: because the harmony of God and man is the final purpose of the kingm of earth and time, so surely will the kingdom of heaven come, dream of poets, and prophets and scers. There is a farmusic, but long since audible to gifted uls who have brightened the world with alms of redemption. That music is drawng nearer, and in due time it will not be for the ears of the few alone, but for the nations of the waole earth. When at ength the common mind and heart of umanity is flooded was deepest and divinest harmony, it will be a message that all can unerstand, for its refrain will be the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood

Rev. William Class, Trinity University, Toronto, spoke on religious conditions. Much interest is felt in the address to be delivered to-morrow evening by Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, on "Rights and

FURNITURE

SHILTZ & BAKER, OF BROOKVILLE, GO UNDER FOR \$40,000.

Jack Wherle, Victim of George Knight's Revolver. Dead-Adams County Posse After a Wife-Killer.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BROOKVILLE, Ind., July 18.-The Shiltz & Butler Furniture Company made an assignment yesterday. The factory has been in operation for seven years, and, until the hard times, was doing a good business. Much excitement is caused on account of the large number of creditors, who have loaned to them in sums of \$500 to \$9,000. A. W. Butler and William Raynolds, who were formerly members of the company, have indorsed for them, All the parties have been more or less prominent. J. B. Shiltz is county assessor, and was for eight years auditor of Franklin county. A. W. Butler is a scientist of some note, being at pressis a scientist of some note, being at pression and scientist of s ent connected with the American Academy of Science, as its secretary. Not until re-cently were rumors afloat of the company's insolvency, when Shiltz transferred his real estate to his sons-in-law. The principals and sureties are able to pay dollar for dollar if they wish. Many transactions are oming to light that make many of the creditors feel uneasy. George F. O'Byrne is named as assignee. Liabilities are given as \$40,000; assets supposed to be \$20,000.

JACK WHERLE DEAD.

Unable to Survive the Accidental Shot by Hon. George A. Knight.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BRAZIL, Ind., July 18 .- County Clerk Jack Wherle, who was mistaken for a burglar and shot by attorney George Knight Tuesday night, died in great agony at 6:30 o'clock this morning. On hearing of his death Mr. Knight became almost frantic and wept like a child. So seriously is his mind thought to be affected that he was taken to Indianapolis by Dr. Eastman, of that place, who had been attending Mr. Wherle, and careful medical attention will be paid him. The tragedy has created much excitement, as Jack Wherle had innumerable friends, who sady mourn his death. The shock has driven his wife almost to distraction and she is being watched by friends. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced

WIFE MURDER AT MONROE. and Wants to Lynch Him.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DECATUR, Ind., July 18.-Word has just reached this city from Monroe, a small town six miles south of here, that a man named Davis had murdered his wife. The story is that Davis enticed his wife to the woods a short distance from his house, and assaulted her with a club, striking her several times over the head. Supposing her dead, he left her. As they were seen entering the woods together, and a short time afterward he appeared alone, suspicion was lined to entertain. Peru has al- at once aroused that there had been foul mitted the justice of Bolivia's de- play. The news spread rapidly, and in a play. The news spread rapidly, and in a short time a crowd of citizens started in search of the wife, but failed to find her. Davis has not been seen since his exit from the woods. There is great excitement in Monroe, and a posse of enraged citizens is looking for Davis and searching for the corpse of his wife. The father of the sup-posed murdered woman is out with a shotgun and threatens to k'll Davis on sight.

DOLLIE BELKNAP ALONE GUILTY.

Derringer Girls Not Implicated with the Young Murderess.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SEYMOUR, Ind., July 18.-After two days and nights of investigation and the eximination of many witnesses Josie and Dottie Derringer were acquitted to-day of the charge of having instigated or being accomplices of Dollie Belknap in the poisoning of Fleming Sarver and wife. All the evidence introduced was favorable to the girls. It was shown that the girls were of good parents and their characters above reproach. They were watched closey and put to a severe test and proved themselves innocent of the charges preerred against them by the yound n.ur-

Dollie Belknap now stands alone by her own confession as having administered the poison. The confession in which she acwith being implicated in the murder recalls the confession made by Stone, nurderer of the Wratten family Washington, Ind. After being arrested he also made a confession and accused some of the leading farmers of his county as having assisted him in committing the dead. On trial the men proved themselves innocent and he alone paid the penalty for the

There are a great many people who still believe that some person of maturer years ut the girl up to committing the crime. The next grand jury will investigate the matter thoroughly. Coroner Henry Scott swore out a warrant at Brownstown for the rearrest of the Derringer girls, owing to an irregularity in the court proceedings. It is now claimed that their trial was held across the line in Jennings county, when should have been held in this county. The rearrest of the girls will be made to-

A DIFFIDENT EX-CONVICT.

Doesn't Care to Face the Man He Shot Before Going to Prison.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., July 18.-William Bullard, a convict of the southern prison, sent thousand delegates to the Panamerican | there from this county in 1891 for five years, fatally wounded. The shooting was done was brought to this county and given his by William Flynn, the weapon used befreedom from the steps of the county jail, ing a forty-four caliber rifle. West of their way. This afternoon the delegates | this evening, as the new law provides. Bullard, like others, to whom the new law applies, kicked on the law which brought him back to the county from which he was sent. He does not like to be "dropped" among those whom he formerly knew. Bullard's crime was an attempted murder of his rival for the hand of a young lady of this county. He had met a few times a Miss Robertson, who did not know that he was infatuated with her, and who paid but little attention to him, but married a young and then pros-perous farmer named Rothrock. On the night of July 3, 1891, Bullard went to the home of young Rothrock, and fired on the | Special to the Indianapolis Journal, couple while they were in bed. Three shots entered the bed, two of which struck Rothock, one in the neck, coming near to being fatal. Mrs. Rothrock sprang from bed and through a heavy woods ran a half mile to evening by James McCormick, of this city. the home of her father-in-law to inform him of the affair, believing that her husband was dead. The shock was too much for her, and in a few months she died. Outraged citzens ran Bullard down, but before he would surrender he turned his revolver on his own breast and fired. The ball passed through his right lung, but he lived, and has just completed his brief sentence of five years. Bullard does not want to face which the world is moving towards its the man he shot, and when released de-

WORSE THAN THE THISTLE.

Madison County Farms Are Overrun

with Wild Lettuce. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ELWOOD, Ind., July 18.-The farmers in this vicinity are considering ways to combat a new pest in the shape of wild lettuce, which is rapidly overrunning fields and farm lands, and is spreading at an astonishing rate. In many places it threatens to crowd out growing crops in a year or two, and is far worse than the amous Canada thistle. It is hard to kill. as cutting it off does not destroy it. It then sends out several sprouts from the roots and is worse than ever. It reaches maturity soon and its seed ripens rapidly and the stock will cure them up even if it is out green. They are so light and airy that the wind easily scatters them over large areas and but little progress is made in killing it off. An organized effort is to be made by the farmers to get rid of it

INDIANA MINERS TO STRIKE. Expected at Headquarters that All

Will Be Idle To-Day. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 18 .- To-day was the last day on which the bituminous miners of the State were to continue at work pending a final settlement of the wage question, and as the men have rejected the agreement entered into here last | nell, aged sixteen, an only daughter of a week it is expected that there will be a widowed mother, who is well respected,

to-day sent out a request for another vote by the local lodges on the agreement. The request is accompanied by a statement intended to remove a doubt in the minds of the men as to the duration of the 51-cent scale, many of them having voted to reject the agreement under the belief that they would be bound to work for 51 cents until May, 1896. The officials say they know that the number voting does not represent the majority of the miners. A letter from President Talley is quoted, in which he says his understanding is that the contract applies only until conditions shall warrant the committee of operators and miners in advancing the price, and does not bind the miners to work for 51 cents till May, 1896. unless present prices continue until that time in competitive fields, and is intended to give the miners of Indiana the full bene-fit of whatever advance takes place in these

NO POLITICS IN IT.

Old Order to Pass Railway Brotherhood Men Over the Vandalia.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 18 .- The story that President McKeen, of the Vandalia, had issued an order to pass railway brotherhood men over the lines of the system as a means of enlisting the good will of the labor organizations in his behalf as a candidate for United States Senator is wholly untrue. The fact is, the order referred to was issued in 1891 by the then general superintendent, Colonel Hill, with the approval of General Manager Williams. It was a bulletin order, and, having become obscured by age, it was reissued the other day, which fact gave rise to the sensational reports as to its political bearing. The truth is that Mr. McKeen did not know of its reissuance until he saw the newspaper stories. The same report found a mare's stories. The same report found a mare's nest in the alleged hostility of the Pennsylvania Company to labor organizations in vania Company to labor organizations in connection with what Mr. McKeen had done. The order, as will be noticed, was issued before the Pennsylvania secured control of the Vandalia, but, as a matter of fact, the Pennsylvania people do not seek to introduce any of their ideas into the operation of the Vandalla. On the con-trary, the Pennsylvania officials simply ask that the Vandalia be operated as an independent property, and as it was before the ownership changed.

SPIRITUALISTS IN SESSION. A Preacher Offers to Bet \$500 He Can Expose Their Seances.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., July 18 .- The opening day of the State Association of Spiritualists was marked by the largest attendance in the history of the organization. Dr. J. W. arbor at Vera Cruz. The prisoners great- Posse Out Hunting for the Husband Westerfield, of this city, who is president, was early on the grounds, which are nicely situated for a retreat from the prevailing intense heat. The tents and cottages are fast filling, and the president predicts an Thomas, of Dayton, O.; Mrs. Colby Luther, of Crown Point; Dr. W. Sprague, of Jamestown, N. Y., and Dr. Atkinson, of Indianapolis, were among the important arrivals during the day. There has been some little excitement occasioned by the challenge of Elder W. R. Covert, of the Church of God, in Anderson, to meet any of the spiritual ists in debate during the session. He offers to forfeit \$500 if he cannot expose all seances and alleged spiritual phenomena.

Either Shaw or Jackson.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 18.-The mys tery as to the identity of the burgiar killed at Poland ten days ago deepens as the investigation proceeds. The Terre Haute detectives had been confident that the dead man was Charles Shaw, a crook, who served time in the South Dakota prison for obbling his cousin, Mrs. Chaska, the schoolteacher who married the Indian of that name, but now it seems to be well established that the dead man was really T. Jackson, of Altamont, Mo., the man the detectives here thought had been murdered by Shaw in Chicago July 2. The burglar came here July 3 and went by the name of T. E. Jackson, but since his death the name of Charles Shaw was found on some of his wearing apparel. To-day it is learned that the dead man had certain physical markings that almost positively ntified him as Jackson. A picture of him, taken soon after he was killed, clerks in the store he was trying rob, was sent to Jackson's home in Mis souri. Superintendent Meagher has ceived a letter from the marshal of Gal latin, Mo., in which he says the picture that of Jackson and not Shaw. Shaw had been with Jackson in Missouri up to July and the marshal writes that the picture does not look anything like Shaw, who wore no beard at the time he left Mis-

Federation Takes Up the Fight. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., July 18.-The Madison County Federation of Labor held a meeting last night, and the Daily Bulletin has come under the ban of the organization. Some time ago the Bulletin nonunionized its composing rooms by the addition of a Thorne type-setting machine. The local typographical union has been making a fight on the Bulletin ever since, but did not succeed in gaining the support of the Federation until last night. The Federation has issued the following to the public: "The Anderson Bulletin Printing Company has been declared a nonunion and unfair office by the Madison County Federation of Labor, and all union men are requested to act ac-Shortly after the union printers left the Bulletin office the Evening Telegram made ts appearance as the champion of the

Fatal Shooting Near Noblesville. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NOBLESVILLE, Ind., July 18 .- John H. Parker, aged thirty-eight, was shot in the stomach last night and is thought to be Noblesville, near the home of Susan Kerigan, a woman of ill repute, Parker and a companion, named Car, were passing the Kerigan home and sought admission Flynn was in the house and did the shootng, the Kerigan woman loading and furnishing the gun. Flynn has escaped and the woman is in jail. Parker is a married man. After the shooting he walked half way to the home of Chris Wood, where he obtained assistance and physicians

Rich Oil Property.

pronounced the wound very dangerous.

called. They failed to find the ball and

individual transfer of oil stock in the history of Indiana companies was made last who was manager and owner of one-fourth interest in the Northern Oil Company. He received for his share \$60,000, all of which was made from an investment of \$2,500 four years ago. The company was organized in 1890 with a capital stock of \$30,000, by local oil men, who operated two years and then sold to Eastern capitalists for \$125,000, Mc-Cormick retaining one-fourth interest. The resent company controls eight thousand acres of rich oil territory and has a production of fifteen thousand barrels monthly. Ed Little, of Lima, O., will act as man-

Cousins Fight Over a Girl. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., July 18.-Webster Gooch and Miss Winegar, of Centerton, attended singing at Centerton last night, at the conclusion of which he started to escort her to the home of William Parker. They were overtaken by Cornelius Gooch, between the Gooch boys concerning the young lady. Cornelius Gooch is said to have called to Stafford for a revolver, when Webster drew a dull pocket knife and plunged it into Cornelius's back twice and once in his left breast, inflicting serious, but not fatal wounds.

Express Messenger in Convulsions. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, Ind., July 18 .- At noon to-day, when express train No. 20, east bound, on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago arrived here, Aaron Taylor, the Adams express messenger, was found an the floor of the express car in convulsions. He was taken to Hope Hospital, where he is now in a critical condition. It is sup-posed he ate poisoned canned meat for his breakfast, which he had eaten on the train from his lunch basket just after leaving

Ran Off to Go on the Stage. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., July 18.-Rachael Bon-

general suspension of mining to-night, al- disappeared from her home here on last though in some localities the men may Monday. The matter was kept quiet until continue at work at 51 cents, especially as to-day, when it was made public. Miss the officials of the United Mine Workers Bonnell became infatuated with the stage, her flight from home. The mother is almost

A Fighting Mailing Clerk. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MADISON, Ind., July 18.-William Hufnagle, mailing clerk of the Madison postoffice, assaulted Charles Reynolds, knocking him down, breaking his nose, and injuring him so that he had to be carried to his home. Reynolds is alleged to have talked about Hufnagle, which prompted the attack. The case will come before the Mayor Saturday.

Driven to Snielde by a Son's Death. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WABASH, Ind., July 18.-Mrs. Fred Frey, of this city, attempted suicide by cutting her throat with a razor this morning. A deep gash about four inches long was made. She is still alive but cannot recover. Mrs. Frey's oldest son fell from a tree and was instantly killed about a month ago and since that time her mind has been affected. Accident to Big Four Knickerbocker.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. UNION CITY, Ind., July 18.-The Big Four knickerbocker flyer dashed into an open switch in the yards in the east end of town this evening, derailing the engine and mail car. The engine struck a freight train standing on a siding which probably saved several lives as the entire train might have been thrown upon its side.

A Landlord Sued for Slander.

special to the Indianapolis Journal. FRANKFORT, Ind., July 18.-James Hinsley, a wealthy Tippecanoe county farmer, had trouble with James Sheet, one of his tenants, about his share of the wheat

The "Noonday Sun" Paper.

Special to the Indianapoils Journal. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 19 .-Samuel Davidson, the colored journalist of this city, will begin the publication of a weekly Republican paper this week to be entitled the "Noonday Sun." It will be Republican in principle and especially advocate the cause of the colored people.

New Tri-County Fair Scheme. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAFONTAINE, Ind., July 18.-The citizens of Wabash, Grant and Huntington counties will meet here Saturday, July 27, to organize a tri-county fair association with grounds at this place. The movement has substantial backing and in all probability a solid organization will be effected.

Ate a Quart of Cherries and Died. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DECATUR, Ind., July 18.-Robert Peterson, son of Hon. R. S. Peterson, died this morning. Tuesday he ate a quart of cher-ries, including the seeds. He had trouble in his bowels, which puzzled the doctors, and died to-day in much agony.

Took Out a Stone 126 Feet Long. special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., July 18 .- William Brown, of Brooklyn, has removed a shale stone from the bed of the creek, below the dam there, that was 125 feet long.

Indiana Deaths.

DECATUR, Ind., July 18.-Last night lenry Urick, aged ninety-seven, died at is home near this city. He was the oldest ploneer of this county, having moved here in 1837, and settled on a piece of wilderness land, on which he lived until death called him away. Himself and two sons alone cleared the land where Decatur now stands. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., July 18 .- Wilam Jones one of the first white men born in this section, is dead at Wooster, ounty. He was born in a fort at Kent, efferson county, April 13, 1813. The settlers had been driven to take refuge from the Indians in the fortifications. Deceased was one of the most prominent and highly respected residents in the county. ROCHESTER, Ind., July 18.-Mrs, I. Connor died here to-day after a lingering ill-ness. She was the wife of ex-Judge Connor, and her friends were many in this and

adjoining counties. Indiana Notes. The twenty-first anniversary of the old held at Quincy, Aug. & A barn belonging to Frank Owens, seven

niles west of Monticello, was struck by lightning Wednesday and destroyed. Mrs. Eliza I. Crisler, department president of the Woman's Relief Corps of Indiana, is ill at her home in Greensburg, but is thought to be improving. Terre Haute's latest ministerial acquisition is Rev. J. P. Davis, a pastor and evangelist of the Christian Church, who has recently come to that city from the

Hon. W. D. Bynum, of Indianapolis, delivered an address on the silver question, at the Bedford courthouse, last night. Extreme hot weather prevented having much A new law partnership was entered into at Elwood yesterday by W. H. Jones and

Perry Behymer, the latter of Elwood and the former of Montpelier. Both are old practitioners. Stockholders of the Anderson Belt Rail-

way Company elected the following directors: W. T. Durbin, C. T. Doxey, C. P. Garvey, M. R. Williams, G. Lilly, W. L. Finch, J. L. Kilgore. Officers: President, C. P. Garvey; vice president, M. R. Williams; secretary, W. L. Finch; treasurer, W. Arthur Barnett, of Washington county, who served two years in the Prison South

for whitecapping, was released, yesterday by expiration of sentence. He was one of the gang that took Mrs. Elijah Dalton, of Blue River, out of her bed and whipped her. Mrs. Dalton's husband died in prison while serving a term for the same offense.

HARRISON DID NOT DISCUSS THE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION.

Fruitless Effort of a Correspondent to Induce the General to Discuss a "Fake" Interview.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 18.-Maj. T. L. Poole said to an Associated Press reporter to-day concerning a report that General BLUFFTON, Ind., July 18.-The largest | Harrison had said to Joseph I. Sayles and

> whole cloth. Mr. Harrison never spoke or city, John Cattanach, is missing. Captain even hinted at such a matter. The truth Hackem was killed instantly by having a is that he did not speak on the matter, di- large hole smashed in his head, and his left is that he did not speak on the matter, directly or indirectly. You cannot say too ear was cut off. David Canary lived for two strongly that not one word was said by Mr. hours after the accident and bled to death. Harrison that could be construed into an allusion in any way to his position in regard to his possible candidacy for Presi-

dent. Attempt to Interview Harrison. SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 18 .- A special to the Syracuse Post from Old Forge, N. Y., says: "That General Harrison made the statement attributed to him in the dispatches of yesterday cannot be denied truthfully by the parties to the conversaverbatim, and was told to at least seven persons whose names are known to the Post correspondent. In his denial Major Poole says he did not tell any one that General Harrison had a second cousin, and James Stafford, son said that he would not be a candidate for of Grant Stafford. An altercation tock place the presidency. As a matter of fact, Major the presidency. As a matter of fact, Major Poole, after he and his friends had boarded the steamer Zip, on their way to the Forge House, from Dodds's Camp, called them around him and confided to them the result of the interview with General Harrison, He told them not to state the conversation to any newspaper men. He laid particular stress upon this. All efforts to have Mr. Sayles talk for publication about the interview he and Major Poole had with General Harrison were fruitless. The Post reporter rode to Dodds camp this evening. General Harrison was reading his mail. He greeted the reporter cor-dially, and inquired what the nature of the

call was. "What, if anything, have you to say, General, about the story published this morning?" he was asked. "I have nothing to say about the story," answered the General, pleasantly, but firm-Will you not deny or affirm the truth of

the Poole interview?

KILLED AND INJURED

MANY VICTIMS OF CASUALTIES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

by the Fall of a Bridge and Five by the Cave-In of a Sewer.

MONUMENT, Col., July 18.-Three people were killed by the collapse of the bridge over Dirty Women's gulch, reported yesterday. A large number of werkmen were injured. The bridge was fifty feet high and about three hundred feet long. It has HE SAYS THE PIETZEL CHILDREN always been regarded as a frail structure, and the catastrophe of yesterday was frequently predicted. Business was suspended in town and all the citizens hurried to the wreck to render such assistance as was possible. The list of killed and wounded follows:

MRS. ALBERT COOPER, Kansas City, C. CHILDERS, Kansas City, Mo., UNKNOWN TRAMP, killed,

MARK WICKENS, engineer, fatally in-CHARLES GARDNER, brakeman, will

J. N. ERBY, brakeman, will die.

JAMES CALL, hip broken.

HENRY ALLEN, leg broken.

CHARLES RUE, leg broken.

WALLACE COOPER, Lamar, Col., head
cut and back hurt.

J. W. COLE, bridge contractor, broken CHARLES STONEHOUSE, foreman of

the bridge gang, both legs broken. H. C. BOOKERT, head and shoulders - SHAW, hip crushed and head cut. CHARLES HALLER, back hurt. The bridge was being rebuilt, and a Santa Fe freight train was crossing it when the structure gave way.

Sewer Caves In. NEWARK, N. J., July 18.-Two men were killed, two fatally injured and three seriously injured by the caving in of a sewer trench in Harrison, Hudson county, across the river from this city, this afternoon. The accident occurred on Jersey street, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The killed

ANTHONY RYAN, thirty years old, GEORGE VILLADNE, thirty-five years old. Newark. Those fatally injured were Edward Lon-edy, forty-six years old, Newark, and James McDoand, Newark. Others injured were: Thos. Brennan, Newark; Cornelius

Contractors Thomas J. Regan & Co. had charge of the work of building the sewer and owing to an accident that occurred at the same place last week had bee notified by the police to have the earth prop-erly shored up. It is claimed that this was not done, with the result of the cave-in to-day.

Death Lurked in the Fence. CHICAGO, July 18.-William Pierce was instantly killed and Louis Anderson and Ruth Hart, the latter, six years old, were seriously injured in a peculiar manner last night in Evanston. Tuesday night's storm dismantled nearly all of the electric light poles in Evanston and the wires fell everywhere. Wednesday most of them were replaced, but one which had failen across the iron fence was overlooked. The men were delivering ice at the point where this wire was left, and while Anderson was gofence to rest. His hands and clothing were wet and the instant he touched the fence he fell across it and was dead. Anderson attempted to take the body from the fence and was rendered unconscious. The Hart girl went up to look at the men. She touched he wire with her hand and was soon lying on the sidewalk with Pierce and Anderson. It is thought that Anderson and the Hart child will recover, although they are in a very serious condition. Hundreds of people had been passing within a few feet of the dangerous place during the evening.

Collapse of a Building. DALLAS, Tex., July 18 .- At 10:30 o'clock this morning the Thompson Building, No. 248 Elm street, which has been undergoing epairs, fell in, demolishing the unfinished work and burying a number of workmen beneath the debris. Following are the inured: L. Prieur, contractor, severe wounds on left leg and right knee and serious internal injuries; Alex. Tolerton, wounded on head, ankle dislocated and internal injuries; George Brown, internal injuries; G Sherman, contractor, serious internal injuries. Others were slightly injured. The collapse was caused by the giving way of the props placed where the partition wall had been destroyed. It is thought that Prieur's injuries are the only ones that

will result fatally. The Entombed Miners. IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., July 18 .- Following are the names of the miners enombed at the Pewabic mine: Frank Dowden, Edward Webb, Peter G. Carlson, T. F. Johnson, M. Somora, Paul Farretti, James Canino, M. Rjani and Anse Fleming. It is known that some of the miners are alive, as hammering on a pipe leading into the room in which the men are confined has peen responded to with nine raps given, and this is accepted as evidence that the men are all together, but whether all es-caped injury cannot be established. Better progress than was anticipated is being made by the rescuing crew, and it is now the opinion that the room will be reached

in about five hours. Fatal Railway Collision.

PEORIA, Ill., July 18 .- In a rear-end col-DENIED BY MR. POOLE lision between a Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis passenger train and a Big Four plan. freight on the tracks of the Peoria & Pekin Union, near here to-night, the rear coach of the passenger train was telescoped and two freight cars thrown from the track. Miss Martha Wright, of Eureka, was crushed between one of the freight cars and instantly killed. A half dozen persons suffered serious wounds, but all will recover. The passenger train had stopped on account of a washout at Grove siding. A relief train was sent from here and the dead and injured brought to Peoria at 11 o'clock to-night.

Fatal Collision on a Canal. MARINE CITY, Mich., July 18 .- Last night as the tug Torrent was coming up through the canal at the Flats, she came into collision with an unknown schooner himself that he would, under no circum-stances, be a candidate for the presidency tains on the lakes, and the watchman, David Canary, of Port Huron, were killed "The report is made absolutely out of and one wheelman, a young man from this

> Two Boys Drowned. MUSKEGON, Mich., July 18.-Albert and Walter Gagerson, aged, respectively, seven and eleven years, were drowned in Muskegon lake yesterday, while bathing. Their bodies were recovered to-day.

> > Teachers of Agriculture.

DENVER, Col., July 18.—The Association f American Agricultural Colleges and Experimental lding its ninth vention in this city, elected the following officers to-day: President, S. W. Johnson, Connecticut; vice presidents, Cyrus Norop, Minnesota; J. H. Cornell, Texas; S. W. Robinson, Ohio; E. A. Bryan, Wash-ington; R. H. Jerr, Missouri. Secretary, J. H. Washburn, Rhode Island. Executive committee—H. H. Godell, Massachusetts; Alston Ellis, Colorado; H. C. White, Georgia; E. B. Voorhees, New Jersey, and ex-officers, as provided in the constitution. Bibliographer, C. A. True, Washington, D. C. Minneapolis was chosen as the place

NEW YORK, July 18.—Arrived: Belgen-land, from Antwerp; Colorado, from Hull. MOVILLE, July 18. - Arrived: Siberian, from Montreal, for Glasgow. SOUTHAMPTON, July 18. - Arrived: Paris, from New York. PHILADELPHIA, July 18.-Arrived: Illinois, from Antwerp.

Movements of Steamers.

for the next meeting.

LONDON, July 18.-Arrived: Mississippi, from New York. Bank Closed.

"I will not."

General Harrison said that all efforts to have him talk through a newspaper on anything of a political nature would prove in vain. "I must be left alone so far as that subject is concerned while I am here," he EVERRET, Wash., July 18.—The Puget Sound National Bank here has closed its doors by order of the directors. The liablities are \$55,000. The bank will liquidate. It is thought the Controller will appoint a receiver in a few days. A. B. Hayward

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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H. H. HOLMES'S STORY

WERE SENT TO LONDON,

But the Police of that City Cannot Find Minuie Williams, Who Had Charge of Them-An Alibi.

PHILADELPHIA, July 18.-District Attorney Graham has issued an official statement of the steps taken by the local authorities in their endeavor to locate the Pietzel children. The district attorney says that after Holmes's conviction he questioned him closely about the children, and that Holmes told him the following story: The boy, Howard, was taken to Detroit and turned over to Minnie Williams, the woman Holmes met in Chicago. Holmes then took the two girls, who were afterward murdered in Toronto, where he sewed \$400 in the clothing of Alice. Then he joined Minnie Williams at Niagara Falls, where he gave the girls into her keeping, and the woman and children went first to New York and ultimately to London, where the woman established a massage resort at No. 80 Veder or Water street. Holmes says she is known in London as Minnie Williams, Geraldine Walda and Adele Cov-

The statement of the district attorney concludes as follows: "In view of the discovery of these facts, the reasonableness of the theory that Holmes killed Pietze at No. 1216 Callowhill street, this city, becomes apparent, and whether the prisoner, who is securely held in our county prison, shall be tried here for the murder of Pietzel in this jurisdiction or be taken to Toronto to be tried for the murder of the two little girls, depends on circumstances, but the public may rest assured that no ef-fort will be spared to bring this criminal to justice, where he shall be made to suffer sire to have Holmes tried for murder, and if it shall appear that his conviction can be for his being sent there. Otherwise I wil see what can be done with him on the charge of murdering Pietzel. If he is acquitted in Toronto I will endeavor to have him returned here to serve his sentence for conspiracy, and very likely to answer the charge of murder in relation to Pietzel."

A French Canadian, stockily built, and with short black whiskers, called to-day at the office of W. A. Shoemaker, Holmes's counsel. After a conference with the law-yer, who positively refused to give the name of this mysterious visitor, it was stated that the stranger had arrived today from Toronto. He said that he had been with Holmes in nearly all the latter's and had known him for years. He stated that he would swear that Holmes, when he went to Toronto, gave the Pietzel chil-dren to a man named Hatch, and this was the last either he or Holmes has seen of them. He says a complete alibi can be proven for Holmes, when the proper time es, and he will go on the stand in the Attorney Barlow and detective Crawford mysteriously disappeared from the city to-day. It is thought they have gone to Toronto. Crawford, it is thought, will work

with Geyer in ferreting out the mystery surrounding thedisappearance of the miss-Holmes Did Not Tell the Truth. LONDON, July 18.-Inquiries made in this city regarding the statement of Herman Mudgetts, alias Holmes, alias H. H. Howard, suspected of having murdered the two Pietzel girls at Toronto, and who is now in custody at Philadelphia, indicate that he did not tell the truth when he informed District Attorney Graham, of Philadelphia, that the children were taken to England by the Williams woman. According to the dispatches received here, Holmes is said to have given the girls into the keeping o Minnie Williams, who came to this city from New York and established a massage resort at No. 8 Veder street. He also sal that she was known here as Minnie Williams, Geraldine Walda or Adele Covell. But the inquiries made show that there is no Veder or Vedar street in London, and when Vigo and Vere streets, the nearest names to those mentioned by Holmes, were searched no trace was found of a woman

or of an establishment answering the de-scription of those referred to by the pris-Why He Killed the Children.

The questions that were on almost every lip yesterday were "Why did Holmes murder the two children? What object could he have in making away with innocent little ones?" The answer is easy. The children were in Holmes's way. Alice had been here to identify the body. She knew pretty much the whole story. The other ones knew parts of it. While they were alive they were a care and a burden. It took money to keep them. They might let slip something sometime. They would certainly raise a howl when they found that their father was dead. Murder was the easiest solution of the difficultie

From facts also in the hands of the authorities, it is believed it was Holmes's intention to get rid of Mrs. Pietzel and the other two little ones. The hot trail of the detectives prevented the fulfillment of the The Indianapolis story that the boy was probably killed in that city is doubted by the authorities here in the points that show the boy to have disappeared there. Howard Pietzel was last seen in Detroit, and there

it is believed, he met death. Detective Geyer's reports and the reports of the in-surance people bear this out. HOT SHOT FROM HORR.

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because I say to you, in all candor, the members of Congress are fully up in honesty and decency to the average of the American people. I know it because I have been one myself, you know. (Laughter.) But what has all that to do with whether this bill was properly presented and discussed? I am familiar with what Mr. Kelley said afterwards, but I now read to you what he said when this bill was up in the House on the report of Mr. Hooper, and it is not a speech that was printed "by leave." This took place right on the floor of the House: "It is impossible to retain the double standard. The value of gold and silver continually fluctuates; you cannot determine this year what will be the relative value of gold and silver next year. They were 15 to 1 a short time ago; they are 16 to 1 now. Hence, all experience has shown that you must have one standard coin which shall be a legal tender for all others." Mr. Horr then took up the history of the demonetization act and proceeded show the stages through which it had passed, and that its final enactment was not until after it had been before Congress for nearly three years. Mr. Harvey then returned to the attack on the honesty of legislators throughout the country, including Congress and the Illinois and Colorado legislatures. This venality was sapping the foundations of the government as I had sapped the foundations and destroyed every republic

Mr. Horr then returned to the defense of the honesty of the American people. He said Mr. Harvey merely picked out a few corrupt men and drew from them the proposition that the people of the Nation were all corrupt. "Why," he said, "if Mr. Harvey had lived in Job's time he would have looked over that unfortunate man's sores and would have gone out and pub-lished throughout the world that all chalsea was one immense carbuncle." Mr. Horr then, amid laughter, said he would return to the question under discussion, and proceeded with the history of the and proceeded with the history of the demonetization of silver, pointing out how the bill had been read in full several times and printed separately eleven times and twice in the reports of the Controller of the Currency. The debates in the Senate on it occupied sixty-six columns in the Congressional Record. Is the repor of the committee it was stated that it had been examined line by line and word by word, and was finally passed. He would show that in so doing the Senate knew what it was about.

A MATTER OF RECORD. Mr. Harvey, in reply, said that Mr. Herr would have to retreat from his position when the proper time came. In point of J. C. HART. 10 N. Pean. Sa

taiking was not the bill finally passed. Judge Kelley, in presenting the bill in the House, said that it was merely a codification of the mint laws. In response to a question Judge Kelley replied that the bill made no change in the value of the coins of the Nation. In 1872, when the bill came up again, it was poken of as a bill on a dry subject and members lost interest. It was at that time, as appears from the records, that the first disclosure of the intention to change the standard to gold was made in a speech by Mr. Hooper. There was reason to believe that the speech was not actually delivered, but was printed by leave, or that it was read from man-uscript and those words omitted but no reference was made to the demonitization of silver. On the enrollment of the bill a clause was omitted which had the effect of limiting the coinage of silver.

Mr. Horr, replying, charged Mr. Harvey with quoting a single sentence and leaving out a medifying context. The record showed that this statement was made it the morning debate and was not under leave to print. In the very speech referre to by Mr. Harvey the Speaker said this bill provided for a standard "in a single metal" instead of as before, in two metals, and that all coins, except subsidiary coins, should be of gold. Mr. Horr then spoke on the demonstration of silver in 1816, as a result of experience in the use of the double standard. In 1871 Germany adouted the gold standard and threw on the marset the world to considering the silver question—not any 'gold bug' conspiracy. The financial policy of no great nation was ever dominated by a conspiracy.

This closed the debate for the day, exept the answering of questions by the lisputants by members of the audience. The most interesting collequy, perhaps, was at the very end of the day's proceedings. This conundrum was put to Mr. Harvey by Mr. L. G. Powers, of Michigan: "You said yesterday 'my answer is, first, that I did not say that I had forced them to change it or to correct any mistake' in Coin's Financial School up to date, page 152, you say 'Coin here explains how an error had crept into the official report of the treasurer. That he had since forced the Treasurer. ury Department to correct that error.

Please explain the manifest discrepancy.

Mr. Harvey—The answer is: Coin, a little boy in knee pants, represents the cause of bimetallism; he does not represent me.

(Applause and groans on each side of the egotism to claim that I represent Coin in the many arguments and sentiments and kind things said about the little boy by the author and when Coin's influence is exercised at Washington or at San Fran-cisco, or Memphis, it means the influence of bemetallism and humanity. On the request of Mr. Horr the further hearing of the debate was adjourned to p. m. Saturday.

A BRIDE IN SORROW.

Drowning of Druggist Wagner-Said to Live Here.

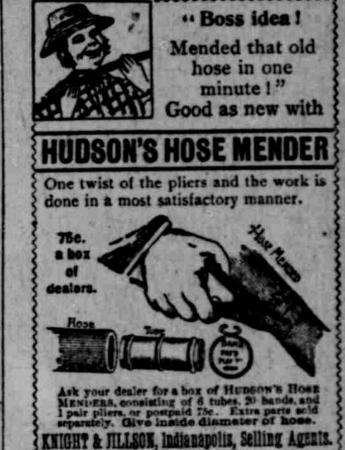
A telegram from Kansas City, Mo., received at an early hour this morning, says that William Wagner, of the firm of Wagner & Wagner, druggists, of Indianapolis, was drowned near Ft. Scott, Kan., yesterday, while fishing. The telegram adds that Mr. Wagner was married but a month ago, and that he was in Kansas on his wedding trip. The city directory contains no such firm name as Wagner & Wagner, and the name of William Wagner does not appear as a druggist or drug clerk.

Severe Storms.

PEORIA, Ill., July 18.—Another strong Pekin, unroofing buildings and blowing barns and trees over. The roof was blown off the postoffice block and the mails soaked. At Tivoli, J. Comper was struck by lightning and killed. To-night, at 9:30, a deluge passed over Peoria, flooding everything. Several washouts are reported.

The rain of to-day washed out about a thousand feet of the Peoria & Pekin Union railroad, between this city and Pekin, and the flood this afternoon washed out a idge on the same road, interrupting al travel between the two points. Trees and outbuildings all over Pekin were blown down and much damage is done to corn. which is blown to the ground.

Theory of Evolution Defended. MADISON, Wis., July 18.—The Rev. Dr. A. Seahm, professor of physical sciences Notre Dame University, Indiana, has mmer school circles by the view he set forth in his lectures on "Contempo.ary Evolution." The lecture was the third of a series of five being delivered by Dr. Seahm on matters appertaining to science ar dogma. He defended the theory of evoltion, and held that it was not as comm supposed in conflict with the teachings of





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